IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.BASANT

WEDNESDAY, THE 27TH JUNE 2007 / 6TH ASHADHA 1929

Bail Appl..No. 3853 of 2007()

CRIME NO.73/2006 OF KAYAMKULAM EXCISE RANGE

: PETITIONER/ACCUSED

GOPALAKRISHNAN, S/O.NELLAKANDAN,
PUSHPAVILASAM, MUTHUKULAM VADAKKUM MURI,
MUTHUKULAM VILLAGE, KARTHIKAPPALLY TALUK.

BY ADV. SRI.S.SANAL KUMAR

RESPONDENTS: COMPLAINANT

STATE OF KERALA,
REPRESENTED BY THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM.

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.JAI GEORGE

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 27/06/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

R.BASANT, J

B.A.No.3853 of 2007

Dated this the 27th day of June, 2007

ORDER

Application for regular bail. The petitioner was allegedly found to be in possession of 4 litres of arrack on 23.06.2006. On 14.05.2007 he was arrested. He continues in custody from that date.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner prays, the learned Public Prosecutor does not oppose the said prayer and I am satisfied that the petitioner can be released on bail.

3. In the result, this application is allowed. The petitioner shall be released on bail on the following terms and conditions.

i) The petitioner shall execute a bond for Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty five thousand only) with two solvent sureties each for the like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate;

ii) The petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation before the Investigating Officer as and when directed by the Investigating Officer in writing to do so.

(R.BASANT, JUDGE)

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